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VETTING FOR: WNGCDR TIEN TEPLANON

REF: JUSMAG/THAI MEMO OF 26 JANUARY 2005

¶11. (U) This is an action request for human rights verification required by the Leahy Amendment; see para. 2.

¶12. (SBU) JUSMAGTHAI has requested that the Embassy/State Department complete human rights vetting for Wng Cdr Tien TEPLANON, Office of Don Muang Base Command, RTAF (Air Police Battalion), WCN 1410 who has been selected to attend the Joint Transition Course, Joint and Warfighting and Peacekeeping Operation School at Joint Forces Staff College at Norfolk, VA from March - May 2005. Embassy Bangkok possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by this individual. Embassy Bangkok Political Counselor, Robert J. Clarke, is the verifying officer for the Embassy/Department of State.

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